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Hi Joanne,

Here are some recent highlights...

Turtle Island tree-carving - a back drop for teaching Lenape mythology and history in the Cynwyd Station Park; on-going preservation work of our historic *Milestones and Street Signs*; Cynwyd Elementary School's student assembly and centennial parade - *Owlbert* was the Grand Marshall of the parade; dedication ceremony for the Cynwyd Train Station; opening of the *Cynwyd Station Café and Tea Room*; industrial art being installed at the Cynwyd Train Station Trailhead; the addition of videos to our website; a Lower Merion Historical Society Channel on *YouTube*; the *Raingutter Regatta* by our Cub Scout Pack 581 on the porch of the Academy; and Ardmore's patriotic *Memorial Day Parade*.



New YouTube channel launched!



With tremendous help from Lower Merion Township employees' Josh Mackley and Mark Murray of [LMTV](#), volunteer Joanne Murray was able to create a channel with 75 videos that are also [linked to our website](#). The majority

of the content comes from our own Ted Goldsborough's series entitled *Living History* where he interviews long time residents about the changes to our area. Viewers can also click to see in depth interviews about the [Lower Merion Historical Society](#), the [Cynwyd Train Station project](#) and [the Moment of Integration](#) for Lower Merion School District.

We expect to add more content on a regular basis and welcome any volunteers who would like to submit material for consideration. Help us document history as it happens!

Building Photographs- Preserving Today for Tomorrow's History

This photo from our [Buildings web](#) shows part of our changing history:



This property was purchased in 1863; part has been sold and much more will be. You may recognize the buildings on the property and know they have been in the news for more than a year.

[This web page](#) includes some of the news. After you read about the property, click "Next Building>>" and look at the 70 photos – what's to be sold, outside and in; then the parts that will be kept. Click "Next Building>>" on each page to continue through all five pages.

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The Lower Merion Historical Society is an organization dedicated to *Preserving Our Past For The Future*. This is accomplished by stewardship of local history, education of the community, preservation of historic resources and outreach to promote awareness of the cultural heritage of the Township of Lower Merion and the Borough of Narberth.